BANGALORE CIVIL AND MILITARY STATION.

	Normal.	Current.
Prices of food grains—Rice	*	*
Ragi	*	*

*Not received.

BANGALORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are in good condition. Paddy is being harvested and the punaji grains threshed. Sugar-cane is being harvested and milled.

10. Prospects of the season generally good.

11. Public health good. Fever prevails in some parts of the district.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder sufficiently available.

KOLAR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy is being sown in Kolar, Chintamani, Mulbagal, Sidlaghatta, Chikballapur, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda; ragi and paddy in Kolar; avare, paddy and kulthi in Mulbagal and Sidlaghatta; sugar-cane in Chintamani; paddy in Chikballapur; paddy, kulthi, avare and sugar-cane in Bagepalli, Goribidnur, Srinivaspur and Gudibanda are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season very good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

TUMKUR.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Sugar-cane in Gubbi, Turuvekere and Kunigal; kulthi and paddy in Tumkur, Sira, Turuvekere and Kunigal; avare, togare and kulthi in Maddagiri and Chiknayakanhalli; castor in Turuvekere and avare and wild gingelly in Kunigal are being harvested. Paddy in Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira, Gubbi, Kunigal and in parts of Chiknayakanhalli; jola in Maddagiri and sugar-cane in Kunigal are being sown.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

MYSORE.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, sugar-cane, kulthi, Bengal gram, togare, ballar, castor, coriander and mulberry are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, kulthi, togare and castor are being harvested in parts of the district. Bengal gram is reported to have been attacked by insects in parts of the Gundlupet Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season generally good.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Water and fodder available.

HASSAN.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i.e.*, kar-paddy, castor, kulthi, sugar-cane, garlic, onions, Bengal gram and cow gram in Hassan; cow gram, pigeon-pea and Bengal gram in Arsikere; sugar-cane in Channarayapatna; Bengal gram in Hole-Narsipur; pigeon-pea, cow gram, kulthi, black gram and Bengal gram, etc., in Arkalgud are in good condition. Castor, sugar-cane, kulthi, cow gram and chillies in Hassan; paddy in Manjarabad; castor in Arsikere; paddy and ragi in Channarayapatna; cow gram, pigeon-pea, paddy and ragi in Hole-Narsipur; cow gram and kulthi in Arkalgud; and pigeon-pea and cow gram in Alur are being harvested.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks available.

11. Public health generally good. Fever and cold prevail in parts of Hole-Narsipur.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Sugar-cane is being milled in the taluks of Shimoga, Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar, Tirthahalli and Kumsi. Picking of arecanut and export of the same is going on in the Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli Taluks. The harvesting of gram is going on in all the taluks. Soil is being prepared for planting sugar-cane in the Shikarpur Taluk.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water available.

KADUR.

8. Market fairly supplied.

9. Standing crops, *i. e.*, sugar-cane and arecanut in the Koppa Taluk; til, sugar-cane, wheat, garlic and Bengal gram in the Chikmagalur Taluk; wheat and jola in the Kadur Taluk and sugar-cane in the Yedahalli Sub-Taluk, are in good condition.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks sufficient.

11. Public health generally good. Ague is prevailing in the Chikmagalur Taluk and Yedahalli Sub-Taluk.

12. Cattle are dying from foot and mouth disease in some parts of the Koppa Taluk. In other parts they are in healthy condition. Water and fodder available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Market well supplied.

9. Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Bengal gram, kulthi, cow gram, pigeon-pea and Italian millet in the Chitaldrug Taluk; jola, ragi, kulthi and castor in the Jagalur Taluk; and kulthi in the Hosdurga Taluk have been harvested. Bengal gram, white jola and pigeon-pea have been destroyed by insects in parts of the district.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food stocks are reported to be sufficient.

11. Public health generally good.

12. Cattle healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available.

BANGALORE,
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